

Amendments to the Claims

1. (Currently Amended) A system for sending messages to a pet comprising
 - (A) a transmitter that comprises
 - (1) broadcasting means for broadcasting at least two signals; and
 - (2) control means for turning said broadcasting means on and off; and
 - (B) a receiver attachable to said pet that can receive said signals andcomprises
 - (1) at least one light that can be turned on by a signal from said transmitter;
 - (2) a microphone;
 - (3) electronic means for making at least one recording of a command spoken by a human voice into said microphone;
 - (4) a switch for turning said electronic means on and off;
 - (5) an amplifier for amplifying said recording; and
 - (6) a speaker for converting said recording into sound, whereby a signal from said transmitter can turn on said recording and play it through said speaker.
2. (Original) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said receiver is part of a collar that fits around the neck of said pet.

3. (Original) A system according to Claim 2 wherein said pet is a dog.
4. (Currently amended) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said receiver includes
~~at least one light controlled by a signal~~ at least one light is a flashing light.
5. (Currently amended) A system according to Claim 4 Claim 1 wherein said broadcasting means can broadcast at least two signals, one to turn on said recording and another to turn on said light at least one light is a light emitting diode.
6. (Original) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said transmitter is powered by at least one battery.
7. (Original) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said receiver is powered by at least one battery.
8. (Original) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said signals are encoded and are decoded by said receiver.
9. (Original) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said signals are radio signals.

10. (Previously presented) A method of sending messages to a pet using a system according to Claim 1 comprising turning said electronic means on, speaking at least one command into said microphone, and turning said broadcasting means on.

11. (Currently amended) A system for sending messages to a pet and for locating a pet comprising

(A) a transmitter that comprises

- (1) broadcasting means for broadcasting a radio sound signal and a radio light signal;
- (2) control means for turning said broadcasting means on and off; and
- (3) at least one battery for powering said transmitter; and

(B) a receiver in the form of a collar that comprises

- (1) at least one light;
- (2) a microphone;
- (3) electronic means for receiving said signals and for making a digital recording of a command spoken by a human voice into said microphone;
- (4) a switch for turning said electronic means on and off;
- (5) means for turning on playing said recording when a when said radio sound signal is received;

- (6) means for amplifying said recording; and
- (7) a speaker for converting said amplified recording into sound;
- (8) means for turning on said at least one light ~~when a~~ when said radio light signal is received; and
- (9) at least one battery for powering said receiver.

12. (Original) A system according to Claim 11 wherein said signals are encoded and said receiver includes a decoder for decoding them.

13. (Previously presented) A method of sending messages to a pet using a system according to Claim 11 comprising turning said electronic means on, speaking at least one command into said microphone, and broadcasting a sound signal on said transmitter.

14. (Original) A method of locating a pet using a system according to Claim 11 comprising broadcasting a light signal on said transmitter.

15. (Previously presented) A system for sending messages to a dog and for locating a dog comprising
(A) a transmitter that comprises

- (1) broadcasting means for broadcasting at least two encoded radio signals, including a sound signal and a light signal;
 - (2) control means for selecting and broadcasting a particular signal; and
 - (3) at least one battery for powering said transmitter; and
- (B) a receiver inside a collar suitable for placing around the neck of said dog, where said receiver comprises
- (1) means for receiving said encoded radio signals;
 - (2) means for decoding said encoded radio signals;
 - (3) a microphone;
 - (4) electronic means having at least two channels for making digital recordings of commands spoken by a human voice into said microphone;
 - (5) a switch for turning said electronic means on and off;
 - (6) means for amplifying said recording;
 - (7) a speaker for converting said amplified recording into sound;
 - (8) means for turning on said recording when a sound signal is received;
 - (9) at least one light emitting diode;
 - (10) means for turning on said at least one light emitting diode when a light signal is received; and

(11) at least one battery for powering said receiver.

16. (Previously presented) A method of sending messages to a pet using a system according to Claim 15 comprising turning said electronic means on, speaking at least one command into said microphone, and broadcasting a sound signal on said transmitter.
17. (Original) A method of locating a pet using a system according to Claim 15 comprising broadcasting a light signal on said transmitter.
18. (Previously presented) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said recording is digital.
19. (Previously presented) A system according to Claim 1 wherein said electronic means has at least two channels for recording commands.
20. (Previously presented) A system according to Claim 2 wherein an antenna is inside said collar.

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